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THE HON. SRI B. PARAMESWARAN : (a) 23 Deputy Sevaks and 23 Assistants.

(b) 8 of the Deputy Sevaks and all the 23 Assistants are Harijans.

(c) The scales of pay of Deputy Sevaks and Assistants are Rs. 45—3—60—2—90 and Rs. 18—1—25 respectively.

Hindu Code Bill

* 3112 Q.—

MR. SPEAKER : The hon. Member Sri N. K. Palanisamy is not in his seat. The question together with the answer will be printed and will form part of the proceedings.

SRI N. K. PALANISAMY : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(a) whether the State Government offered any opinion on the Hindu Code Bill in 1954 at the request of the Central Government; and

(b) if so, what it was?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : The information[a] is laid on the table of the House.

Central bus stand for Pollachi

* 3113 Q.—SRI C. KANDASAMY (on behalf of Sri M. Kalyanasundaram) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Local Administration be pleased to state—

(a) whether the Government have received a resolution passed by the Municipal Council, Pollachi, in 1954 for permission and financial assistance for the construction of a central bus stand for Pollachi;

(b) when the resolution was received by the Government; and

(c) the action taken thereon?

THE HON. SRI S. S. RAMASAMI PADAYACHI : (a) Yes, but the permission of Government sought for was only to utilise a portion of the land, acquired for the purpose of providing an elementary school in Kottur Road, Pollachi town.

(b) The resolution was received by Government at the end of May 1954.

(c) The proposal of the Municipal Council was not approved.

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[a] Printed as Appendix V on pages 346–350 infra.